

CLEAN VERSION OF THE AMENDED CLAIMS:

5. A rewind arm assembly in accordance with [claim 3 or 4] claim 4, wherein each bearing assembly has a maximum circumferential dimension less than the diameter of a relevant core, the stepped part being formed on the part of the housing embracing at least the bearing assembly for the lesser dimension shaft, the stepped part comprising a planar face of the housing extending parallel to the core axis and tangential to the point of contact between the contact roller and core.

6. A rewind arm assembly in accordance with [any preceding] claim 1, wherein the one side of the top housing of the rewind arm is coextensive with the side of the arm and includes a core shaft and support bearings adapted to a first size of core internal diameter and the other side of the housing has the core shaft and support bearings adapted to a second size of core internal diameter, the core shafts being connected through a central pulley located within the housing and coupled through a drive belt with a motor housed in the base of the arm for the purpose of rotating the core shafts.

8. A rewind arm assembly in accordance with [claim 3, 4 or 5 as further limited by claim 6 or 7] claim 6, wherein the stepped part extends across the zone of

the pulley.

9. A slitter rewinder machine wherein a wide film is slit into lesser widths and wound onto cores for further use, said machine incorporating at least two rewind arms, in accordance with [any preceding] claim 1, for holding a winding core.